

## PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of  
Andrew Eades and Jeffrey Penno

Entitled: "BUOYANT MEDIA FLOTATION"

Enclosed are: X 3 sheets of drawings  
X An Assignment of the invention to: F.B.  
Leopold Co., Inc.  
X Declaration  
Small Entity Statement under 37 CFR 1.9 and  
1.27

## CLAIMS AS FILED

	<u>No. Filed</u>	<u>No. Extra</u>	<u>Small Entity</u>	<u>Non-Small</u>	<u>Charge</u>
			<u>Rate</u>	<u>Entity Rate</u>	
Total					
Claims <u>17</u> - <u>20</u> = <u>0</u>			X \$ 9.00	\$ 18.00	\$ <u>0</u>
Indep.					
Claims <u>3</u> - <u>3</u> = <u>0</u>			X \$ 39.00	\$ 78.00	\$ <u>0</u>
Multiple Dependent Claim/s			\$130.00	\$260.00	\$ <u>0</u>
Basic Fee +			\$345.00	\$690.00	\$ <u>690.00</u>
Total of above Charges					\$ <u>690.00</u>
Total Fee					\$ <u>690.00</u>

Checks in the amounts of \$ 690.00 and \$ 40.00 are enclosed  
to cover the filing fee and recordation of Assignment.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment  
of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 or patent  
application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17 associated with this  
communication to Deposit Account No. 23-0650. Please refund any  
overpayment in the form of Electronic Funds Transfer to the bank  
account of record for Webb Ziesenheim Logsdon Orkin & Hanson, P.C.

An original and two copies of this sheet are enclosed.

February 18, 2000  
Date

By

Thomas J. Clinton  
Thomas J. Clinton  
Attorney for Applicants  
Registration No. 40,561  
700 Koppers Building  
436 Seventh Avenue  
Pittsburgh, PA 15219-1818  
Telephone: 412-471-8815  
Facsimile: 412-471-4094

I hereby certify that this correspondence is  
being deposited with the United States Postal  
Service as first class mail in an envelope  
addressed to Assistant Commissioner for Patents,  
Washington, D.C. 20231 on February 18, 2000.

Thomas J. Clinton, Registration No. 40,561  
(Name of Registered Representative)

Thomas J. Clinton 02/18/00  
Signature Date

02-22-00

A

jc658 U.S. PTO  
02/18/00

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

JC511 U.S. PTO  
09/506780

02/18/00

IN RE APPLICATION OF:

ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUM-

Andrew Eades and Jeffrey Penno

1473-991365

ENTITLED

"BUOYANT MEDIA FLOTATION"

To the **Application Branch**  
Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

**EXPRESS MAIL CERTIFICATE**

"Express Mail" Label Number EL314743307US

Date of Deposit February 18, 2000

I hereby certify that the following attached paper or fee  
**SPECIFICATION (7 pp.); CLAIMS (3 pp., 17 claims); ABSTRACT (1 p.); DRAWINGS (3 sheets); PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER (1 p., original and two (2) copies); DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY (2 pp.); ASSIGNMENT (1 p.); RECORDATION FORM COVER SHEET (1 p.); POSTCARD AND CHECKS IN THE AMOUNTS OF \$690.00 AND \$40.00**

is being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 C.F.R. §1.10 on the date indicated above and is addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

Michelle Pichora

(Typed name of person mailing paper or fee)

Michelle Pichora

(Signature of person mailing paper or fee)

09506780-1

2

Dated: 2/18/00

[illegible]